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	First Inventor or Application Identifier Matthias KRULL
	Title See 1 in Addendum
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☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: **09/956,544**

Prior application information: Examiner **Pezzuto** Group / Art Unit: **1713**

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First Named Inventor	Matthias KRULL, et al.
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SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)			770.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims: 22
Independent Claims: 1
Multiple Dependent: 0

Extra Claims: 20** = 2 X 18 = 36.00
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1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20	
1201 86	2201 43	Independent claims in excess of 3	
1203 290	2203 145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
1204 86	2204 43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
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1053 130	1053 130	Non-English specification	
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
1804 920*	1804 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251 110	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252 420	2252 210	Extension for reply within second month	
1253 950	2253 475	Extension for reply within third month	
1254 1,480	2254 740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255 2,010	2255 1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401 330	2401 165	Notice of Appeal	
1402 330	2402 165	Filing brief in support of an appeal	
1403 290	2403 145	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453 1,330	2453 665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
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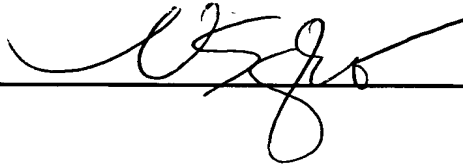
I hereby certify that on the date indicated above, this NEW Continuation PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL and the papers indicated as enclosed therein, of:

Inventors: Matthias KRULL, et al.

For: Process for the Preparation of Ethylene Copolymers, and Their Use as Additives to Mineral Oil and Mineral Oil Distillates

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**Attachment to PTO/SB/05 (4/98) Utility Patent Application
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1. Process for the Preparation of Ethylene Copolymers, and Their Use as Additives to Mineral Oil and Mineral Oil Distillates

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Attorney's Docket No. 1997DE419/DIV/C

ADDED PAGE FOR APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

1. Relate Back - 35 U.S.C. §119 Priority Claim for Prior Application

xx The prior U.S. application claims foreign priority as follows:

Country: Germany
Application No.: 197 54 555
Filed On: 09 December 1997

The certified copy from which priority was filed with USPTO in the prior Divisional Application Serial No.: 09/207,219 and was acknowledged by the USPTO on September 30, 2003 in the Notice of Allowance of SN 09/956,544, filed on September 19, 2001.